

Lumber of All Kinds

The warm weather continues and it only remains for two or three more days of this summer-like weather before the ice and snow will be removed from the streets and hills around here.

There was a large crowd present both the installation ceremony and dance and all went away thoroughly pleased and with a hope that the K of P's. will give many similar entertainments.

W. A. BREBE, Sec. Treas.

Councillors McDonald and Graham said that they had interviewed officials of the International Coal & Coke Co. about the price of street lights but no definite arrangements had been made. Councillor Cameron was authorized

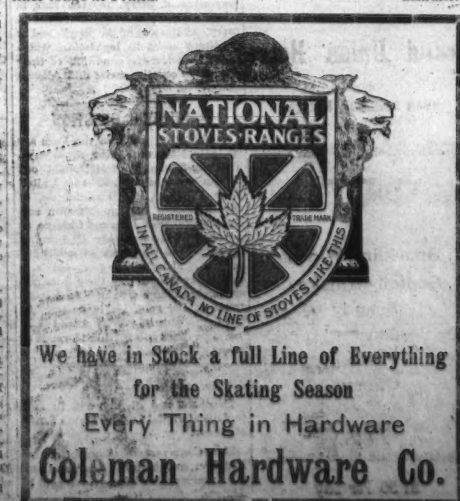
Tom Mix and his company will return to Coleman on Monday and will appear at the opera house on Monday and Tuesday nights, March 1st and 2nd, with a complete change of programme. On Monday night the funny Irish drama, "The Lion and the Lamb," will be presented. This is one of Tom's funniest plays. The price within the reach of all, only 25c. In January when this same company appeared here for three nights, they were greeted by well-planned success, and no doubt this company will meet with the same success here next week. Do not forget the date—March 1st.

On Monday evening the Canon will meet the brethren of Sentinel lodge at Frank.

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Thomas Plante and family who left here in the early part of the winter for Ledue, a place about twenty miles from Edmonton, returned to Coleman Friday morning last and will reside here. Mr. Plante says that the winters are too severe up north. He finds Coleman much the better place.

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J. D. S. BARRETT, Editor and Manager

Coleman, Friday, February 26, 1909

LAURIER'S FALSE PROMISES

Just before the Dominion elections took place Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in a public speech, declared that he would admit a certain amount of wrong doing on the part of his government but if given another chance he would "set his house in order." A few days ago Dr. Reid, Conservative, brought a motion before the House providing that all tenders for public work be opened in the presence of three officials and the public. The idea was to allow of those interested to be present. The motion was defeated by a straight party vote and a motion expressing confidence in the old system of opening all tenders in private was carried. It was through this secret system that all the big million dollar timber deals were made. The action in this case only goes to show that he is in league with the men who have brought so much disgrace to our land and that to hope for reform under Liberal rule is to hope in vain.

PARTY POLITICS

We have given the subject of party politics a good deal of thought during the last few weeks, finally concluding that although we believe in party politics we should not take our politics too seriously in matters pertaining to provincial affairs. Stripped as we are of our natural resources and wealth, the duties of our provincial legislature are not much more than those of a county council in Ontario. What we want are men—good, honest, fair and broad minded men—to assist in pushing Alberta to the front. It matters little who or from what source a measure may come so long as that measure is in the interests of the people. Let us go to the polls determined to vote, irrespective of party, for the man in whom we can place full confidence to carry out the will of the people and at all times assist in legislation which tends to better the condition of their respective constituencies and Alberta as a whole.

A BURNING QUESTION

The Socialist party in the Pass are up against the real thing these days. The flim-flamming of McDonald out of the secretaryship of the United Mine Workers, the introduction of Socialism into the organization and the acceptance of Japs and Chinese as members of the union are all burning questions and the cause of much discussion. Many of the members, it is said, will refuse to pay their dues, asserting that they will not contribute to the Socialist political campaign. As one fellow puts it, "Why should I pay my good money to further the ends of a party in whom I do not believe?"

NOTES

Longboat and Shrubbs are to race tonight at Buffalo. The Maple Leaf's a winner.

The Conservative Convention at Red Deer was the most successful and most representative of any ever held in Alberta.

Telegram juggling was indulged in at the United Mine Workers Convention at Lethbridge.

An Ontario deputation urged the government of that province to do away with trial by jury. May their efforts be rewarded by success.

The Frank Paper reproduced our editorial dealing with the loss to Alberta of her natural resources and the burden of taxation. Thanks for "a helping hand."

The Liberal policy governing the holding of elections provides for only 23 days notice. The Conservative policy is a set date for the holding of elections similar to that in vogue in the United States.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Nearing the End of the Session
The Elections Move in Sight
The Election Bill

Edmonton Legislative Assembly,

February 13, 1909.

(From our own special correspondent.)

The end of the session is drawing near and unless the unexpected happens the House will have adjourned by the end of next week. There is an impression abroad that the election will soon follow. What are the indications?

If one may come to a conclusion from the external evidence it would now seem that the elections are at hand, and may be on early in April. This much is certain that the government has the machinery with which to get a "snap" verdict and no one need be surprised if dissolution takes place early in March. The machinery for it is contained in the election bill, which is now being rushed through the House almost without discussion. On the whole the bill is a good one; but it contains several sections which permit of the good features being suspended if the government desires to spring the elections. There is provision for the compiling of printed voters' lists. In city constituencies, cities and towns these are to be prepared by enumeration. These lists are to be revised by judges or revising barristers. Printed copies of the revised lists are to be printed by a certain time before the elections. Heavy penalties are named for the punishment of electoral offences. This with the other features, which are very fair, apparently, make the bill a very good one.

To set this machinery in operation and to complete printed lists would take several months. In fact in the ordinary course of events the government could not hold an election before November. But the government is a game, not always played fairly. It is considered good tactics to tie the opposition's hands, but it is considered a great mistake for a government to allow its hands to be tied in the matter of holding elections. So in order to hold an election whenever the government may choose, provision has been made in sections 88 to 104. These provide for an election which may be held before the voters' lists have been printed. The clauses set forth that in case of dissolution, lists are to be prepared by enumeration, which are to be completed within eight days of polling. Two copies are to be posted in a conspicuous place for inspection and the enumerator is to be given notice of where he may be found for six hours on the three days immediately preceding the elections. This is the only opportunity given for revision. The enumerator is given power to add or remove names to the satisfaction of his own mind. Thus all the good election machinery must, until the printed lists are published, remain in disuse.

It must also be remembered that the bill provides for the holding of elections on a date from twenty-three to twenty-seven days after dissolution, which means that all the work of preparing lists must be done within that time. It also means that the elections may be held as early as March 24. Thus the legislature could be prorogued on February 28, dissolved on March 1, and the elections could be held on March 24.

Will the government take advantage of this? It seems not improbable. They would have good precedent in Scott's action in Saskatchewan last summer when after practically assuring the Opposition that another session would be held, suddenly took advantage of these self-same sections in the Saskatchewan Election Act to secure a snap verdict. Clauses 88-104 in the new bill have been copied from the Saskatchewan act. What Scott did Rutherford may do.

Another feature of the election bill lends color to this opinion. It is quite evident that it would be almost impossible on twenty-three days' notice to arrange adequately for the holding of an election in the Athabasca and Peace River constituencies. Mr. Robertson pointed this out. The reply of the attorney general was that a bill would be introduced providing

for the holding of elections at deferred dates. This is the government's plan.

A general election early in April.

It is significant that the government is holding off the dissolution until the end of the session. Why? By keeping the dissolution of the session until late in the session there will be little time for the opponents of the government to organize. Of course, their own supporters have been duly notified of impending changes. It requires no prophet to predict that the railway policy will be the government's big card in the campaign. It is counted upon to repeat triumph of 1905. It seems not improbable that there will be a hard battle, and the voting will be over before the people have had time to examine the policy. Moreover, the government is afraid of the Red Deer platform. Every day the campaign is prolonged will mean converts to Conservatism. In the meantime if the Conservatives are surprised they will have themselves to blame, for they have been forewarned.

Mr. Robertson has protested against the short notice on which an election may be called, and he proposed an amendment. He might as well have spoken to a stone wall as to the unreasoning phalanx on the government side. Within two hours 28 out of the 30 sections of the bill with about 60 amendments were rushed through committee. Such haste is nothing less than a public scandal.

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Duties—The homestead applicant must cultivate the land in each of three years, or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, or any interested homestead owner.

Pre-emption—Any person who has exhausted his homestead right and desires obtain a pre-emption may take a pre-emption homestead in certain sections of the Dominion. Price \$5.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, and cultivate 10 acres extra.

W. W. CORRY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior



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PINCHER CITY

Henry Galvin was in Calgary
last week.

L. J. Boag, of Cranbrook,
spent Sunday here.

D. A. Steele has gone to
Pincher Creek to live.

Donald Gillis, of Olds, was a
visitor here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Griffith, of
Lille, were here this week.

Miss Belle Cook is spending
the week at Brockton, the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Cook.

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Howard Ryan, late clerk in
the P. C. M. Co.'s store, has gone
to Lethbridge where he has se-
cured a position.

Willis Fowler, who is drilling
a well in the Fishburn district,
was in town last week renewing
old acquaintances.

Mr. Adamson, of Toronto,
Ontario, insurance inspector for
the British American Fire In-
surance Co., was here last week
inspecting the ruins of the M. R.
cattle Company's building.

Another dance under the
auspices of the quadrille club
was held at Edward McRae's on
Tuesday of last week, where a
pleasant few hours were spent
by a number of people from this
place.

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It looks good to us to see
operations again commenced at
the oil drilling outfit a mile
south of here. The repairs
necessary have arrived and
again work is proceeding night
and day.

Thomas Gaffney left last
week for his new home in Mont-
ana. Mr. Gaffney left many
friends who regret his de-
parture from this district and
who wish him much success in
his venture across the line.

The licence question for the
hotel here has at last been
definitely settled and the licence
will remain a fixture. Mr.
Collins will now be able to
equip his hotel in modern style
throughout and when done will
be a keen competing factor in
this district for the business of
both local and commercial.

A very pleasant time was
spent at W. H. Read's residence
last week, when a large number
of the friends of Miss Flossie
Read assembled there on her
birthday to wish her many
happy returns of the day. Pro-
gressive whist and other games
were played throughout the
evening, after which the guests
sat down to an excellent
supper.

MISREPRESENTATION

The Lethbridge Herald would have
its readers believe that the railway
policy of the Conservative party was
framed by Senator Longhead and that
the C. P. R. interests entered largely
into the discussion of this plank.
The writer happened to be a mem-
ber of the resolution committee
and would like to inform the
Herald that Senator Longhead took
no part in the formulating of the
railway plank and that at no time
during the sittings of the com-
mittee did the C. P. R., G. T. P. or
O. N. R. or their interests receive any
consideration at the hands of the
committee. The question was discussed
from the people's standpoint, resulting
in the adoption of a progressive rail-
way policy. The Conservative party
are not who build the railways so
long as they are immediately con-
structed and operated in the interests
of the people. (The plank dealing
with this question will be found on
another page of this issue.) We are
very much surprised to find the Herald,
whose columns heretofore have been
tidy, newy and fair, gradually sinking
to the level of a political prostitute.

THE CONSERVATIVE PLATFORM

The Conservative convention held
at Red Deer on February 12 and 13
was the largest and most representa-
tive gathering of its kind ever held in
Alberta.

An official statement of the resolu-
tions has not yet been issued, but
summarized they are as follows:
The immediate construction of rail-
ways is a necessity, and while endor-
sing the principle of government
ownership it is expedient under the
present circumstances to guarantee
the bonds of companies securing in re-
turn control of rates and power to ac-
quire the roads when the province
may so desire.
That the province should administer
the public domain, i.e., the lands, tim-
ber, minerals and fishing properties.
The adoption of the principle of the
Initiative, Referendum and Recall.
Loans to settlers on the Australian
and New Zealand plan.

The administration of the School
lands by the province.
To guarantee the bonds of munici-
palities and school districts.
To submit a plebiscite on Prohibition,
a prohibitory law to be enacted
by a majority of 60 per cent. of the
vote polled.

The reforestation of burned timber
areas.

The appointment of a commission
to enquire into the development of
electrical power.

To establish an experimental farm.
The operation of the telephone
system by a commission, free ex-
changes to be granted to farmers.

To establish an agricultural college
that the wolf and coyote bounties
should be continued.

To provide adequate government
fire insurance, private companies be-
ing permitted to operate.

A new election act with adequate
provision for voters lists and courts of
revision.

That the meat packing industry
should be conducted on methods simi-
lar to the dairy industry.

Civil service reform, promotion to
be made according to merit and
through a system of examinations.

Government construction of leading
highways, large borrowing powers to
be granted to local improvement dis-
tricts.

Government erection of initial
elevators.

That more Land Titles offices should
be established.

The amendment of the Joint Stock
Companies Act to prevent swindling
by promoters.

Endorsement of Borden's leadership
and policy.

The enactment of legislation for the
adequate protection of labor.

COMMISSIONERS' DECISION UPHOLD

The Board of Commissioners, who
on October 24, 1908, granted a licence
to the Alexandra hotel at Pincher City
in favor of F. M. Collins, have the sat-
isfaction of having their decision con-
firmed by Chief Justice Sifton on
Thursday, February 18th, at Calgary.

It will be remembered that when
the Board of Commissioners granted a
recommendation for this licence there
was also an application before them by
one John Henderson for a licence for
another hotel building here and who
on that occasion gave evidence before
the Commissioners that he was of the
opinion that there were within the
prescribed area the necessary number
of dwellings and householders required
by law to obtain a licence here. The
Commissioners granted a licence to
the Alexandra hotel after personally
inspecting the situation and finding
that all the requirements were met,
but, strange to relate, the said John
Henderson, who failed to obtain the
recommendation for his hotel, imme-
diately entered a protest against the
Collins licence on the ground that
there were not the necessary require-
ments of the ordinance within the
area prescribed by law, which was di-
rectly at variance with his sworn evi-
dence at the meeting of the Board of
Commissioners here on October 24th.

It was John Henderson (not the
Moral Reform as many supposed) who
engaged a surveyor to map out an
area of 900 acres surrounding the hotel
and whose report on affidavit showed
less than forty dwellings, but suffice it
to say the surveyor did not select the
most likely acreage to obtain the
number of dwellings and by selecting
other acreage the defendant was en-
abled to do so.

The decision of the Supreme Court
of Alberta was a foregone conclusion,
but this decision only further proves
that right and might prevail in this
country and was to him who
seeks to utilize the machinery of jus-
tice to grind out satisfaction to an
individual who had fought a good
fight but was honorably defeated.
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Railway Company asks for Charter to build and operate Railway from Coal Mines to Pincher City

Even this railway news causes no undue excitement in Pincher City, as it has been almost a monthly occurrence during the past year for some company to ask the privilege of building a railway line to Pincher City. It is very probable that this line will be built into Pincher City, and it is very fortunate for this company that the many other companies who have asked for the privilege of building railway lines to Pincher City failed to construct their lines, for if they had done so it would necessitate this company to build a belt line of railway around Pincher City in order to obtain a landing in the City, which would entail an enormous outlay of capital.

Prospects for the Sale of Farm Land and City Property

We have a number of prospective buyers, both for Farm Land and City Property, whom we have been expecting for several weeks, but unfortunately for them they live in sections of the country where, according to newspaper reports, the climatic condition of the country has made life almost unbearable on account of the intense cold weather, which is, no doubt, the cause of their non-appearance in sunny Southern Alberta on schedule time.

While the weather here for the past few weeks might be called cool, especially the nights, it has caused no cessation of business, travel or duty. Many citizens of Pincher City made it their business to travel 20 to 25 miles in making a trip recently to perform the duty of voting for a councillor, and while no boasts are made that the trip was as pleasant as a trip in July to a celebration would be, still it shows what is being done in sunny Southern Alberta while our neighbors in other parts of the country are making a brave struggle to exist on account of the bitter cold weather they are having.

In reply to a number of inquiries we have had to our ad. re Pincher City lots, we have decided to refuse to sell lots in Pincher City to speculators, unless they agree to improve them by building either a residence or a business house. We find that it is imperative for us to make this rule, for if we did not too much of the property would be held by speculators, which would be a detriment to the building up of the town, and we find we will have plenty of buyers who will willingly comply with our rule in the matter of building.

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ply to the Legislature of the Province of Al-
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ing the said Company to construct a series
of rope railways from a point about the
northern boundary line of Section Seventeen
(17) in Township Eight (8) in Range Four (4)
West of the Fifth Meridian, to a point in the
said Township and Range, and crossing the
North Half of Section Seventeen (17), the South-
west Quarter of Section Seventeen (17), the
Northwest Quarter of Section Eight (8) and the
Southeast Quarter of Section Seven (7) all in
Township Eight (8) Range Four (4) West of
the Fifth Meridian, and with power to exprop-
riate such portions of the said lands as may
be required for the purpose of the said rope
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Can. Goldfields	08	06
Canadian North West Oil	20	47
Consolidated Smelters	80.00	92.00
Cranbrook Fire Brick		1.10
Diamond Coal	50	54
Diamond Vale Coal	12	17
Dominion Copper	72	55
International Coal & Coke	72	80
Nicola Coal	02	06
Nipissing	0.50	10.10
North Star	07	12
McGillivray Creek Coal	25	26
Rambler Carbon		1.04
Royal Collieries	35	38
Society Girl		01
Sullivan	00	01
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Western Oil (ordinary)	1.55	1.80
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B. C. Amalgamated	04	064
B. C. Copper	7.00	8.00
Canadian North West Oil	20	35
Consolidated Smelters	80.00	91.00
Diamond Vale Coal	11	14
Gentle	08	04
Gravelly	97.00	102.00
International Coal & Coke	70	74
Lucky Calumet	08	09
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	6.00	73.00
Nipissing	0.75	10.75
Northern Bank	86.00	90.00
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